This listing of paragraphs will replace all prior version of these paragraphs in the application:

Page 13, lines 1-7, change paragraph as follows:

Fig. **13a** is a perspective view, as seen from the bottom of golf ball printer **100**; of ball feeder assembly **600** comprised of the ball feeder carousel **610** (drawing shows "carriage" not carousel) and the ball feeder drive **620**. The ball feeder base **630** is shown in outline form to abut against bracket **654**(shown in Fig. 13b) to reveal the details of the ball feeder drive **620**. Fig. **13b** is an enlarged view of the ball feeder drive **620** of Fig. **13a** with the ball feeder carousel **610** in the lowered position. Fig. **13c** is an enlarged view of the ball feeder drive **620** of Fig. **13a** with the ball feeder carousel **610** in the raised position.

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Referring to Figs. **15b** and **16b**, the Z-axis drive stepping motor **650** raises and lowers the ball feeder carousel **610** by way of the Z-axis drive worm **652**, Z-axis drive gear **651**, about axle **653**, and Z-axis drive lift worm **656**. As the Z-axis drive lift worm **656** is rotated, the Z-axis drive worm nut **658**, attached to the ball feeder carousel **610**, is driven vertically along the length of the Z-axis drive lift worm **656** and through the Z-axis indexing spline tube **655**. The direction of Z-axis drive worm nut **658** travel and the resulting raising and lowering of the ball feeder carousel **610**, is determined by the direction of rotation of the Z-axis drive lift worm **656**. The Z-axis drive worm nut **658**, with attached Z-axis indexing tabs **657** and radial drive gear **651**, travel vertically through the Z-axis indexing spline tube **655** as determined by the rotation of the Z-axis drive

motor **650**. During the printing process the ball feeder carousel 610 is lowered enough to provide clearance for the rotation of the gimbal assembly 500 about the x-axis and y-axis. When all the golf balls have been printed the ball feeder carousel is returned to its complete lowered position Fig. 1 to unload the golf balls.   If for some reason during the printing process a golf ball is not present when the ball feeder carousel is at the ball feeder up position Fig. 6 the ball out sensor 540 will recognize the condition and stop printing.